AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1 and 2 (Canceled)

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): ~~A~~ The rectangular wedge according to Claim ~~2~~ 5, further ~~provided with~~comprising barb-shaped protuberances along the length of ~~said strap part~~the outer end of the strap, ~~and portions of right angled join~~ wherein the L-shaped bend in the strap defines~~between the two parts of the wedge defining~~ an aperture therein for receiving the ~~free~~ outer end of ~~said strap part~~the strap when the latter has been wrapped around ~~a~~ the leg to secure the wedge in position, the barb-shaped protuberances ~~on the strap part~~ preventing ~~said strap part~~ the strap from being unsecured in error but being sufficiently resilient to allow withdrawal of ~~said strap part~~the outer end of the strap from ~~said right angled join~~ the aperture in the L-shaped bend to release the wedge when desired.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): ~~A~~ The rectangular wedge according to Claim ~~1~~ 5, composed of a material selected from the group consisting of high friction rubber~~, rubber like~~ and ~~like~~ elastomeric materials, said wedge material being resiliently deformable to allow its wedge-part to perform its wedging function whilst allowing its ~~strap part~~strap to be wrapped around and detachably secured to the leg.

Claim 5 (New): A rectangular wedge for placement under a leg of a table which is unstable, wherein the wedge comprises a thin triangular section having a strap extending from its thicker end, the strap having an L-shaped bend formed at or near its mid-point so that in use the outer end of the strap may be turned on itself and adjustably attached to itself at or near the bend to hold the wedge captive to the table leg when the wedge is jammed under the leg to prevent movement of the table, the wedge and the strap being integrally moulded of a deformable but resilient material.